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DEVICES

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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

The following extension of time is requested to respond to the Outstanding Office Action  
dated June 21, 2001 :

five months to January 21, 2002 ; the extension fee is:

☒ \$980.00 (228)    ☐ \$1,960.00 (128).

☐ The shortened statutory period has been reset by an Advisory Action dated

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☐ Charge \$ \_\_\_\_\_ to Deposit Account No. 02-4800.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any appropriate fees under 37 C.F.R.  
§§ 1.16, 1.17 and 1.21 that may be required by this paper, and to credit any overpayment, to  
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Respectfully submitted,

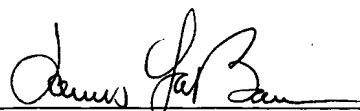
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